

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re divisional PATENT APPLICATION
filed on September 4, 2001, based on the
parent allowed application identified as
follows:

Applicants: Roland CALLENS, et al.

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September 4, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is presented concurrently with a divisional application based on the allowed parent application.

Applicants hereby claim the benefit of said priority document Belgium 09300621, under 35 U.S.C. 119 and all rights attendant hereto. The priority papers were filed in the grandparent application of the parent application, which is the divisional of that application. That is a certified copy of the priority document was filed in Serial Number 08/257,292 on June 9, 1994. Identification of the priority document is Belgium 09300621, filed June 18, 1993. Priority was expressly claimed in 09/502,561 on June 14, 2001.

Please amend the attached divisional application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancels claims 1 through 6 and claims 8 through 10.